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A new plant to be used for the manufacture of toluene compounds is under construction at the explosives plant, VEB Sprengstoff und Zueandmittelwerk, Schoenebeck/Elbe. It consists of a central building (located immediately south of the main factory) surrounded by six concrete mixing chambers. It is expected that building operations will be completed by the beginning of 1956.

Comments:

1. sketch map
2. the new expansion project, referred to as a Monotoluelfabrik. This is thought to refer either to toluene or to mono-substituted toluenes (e.g. monochlortoluene) used in the production of explosives.

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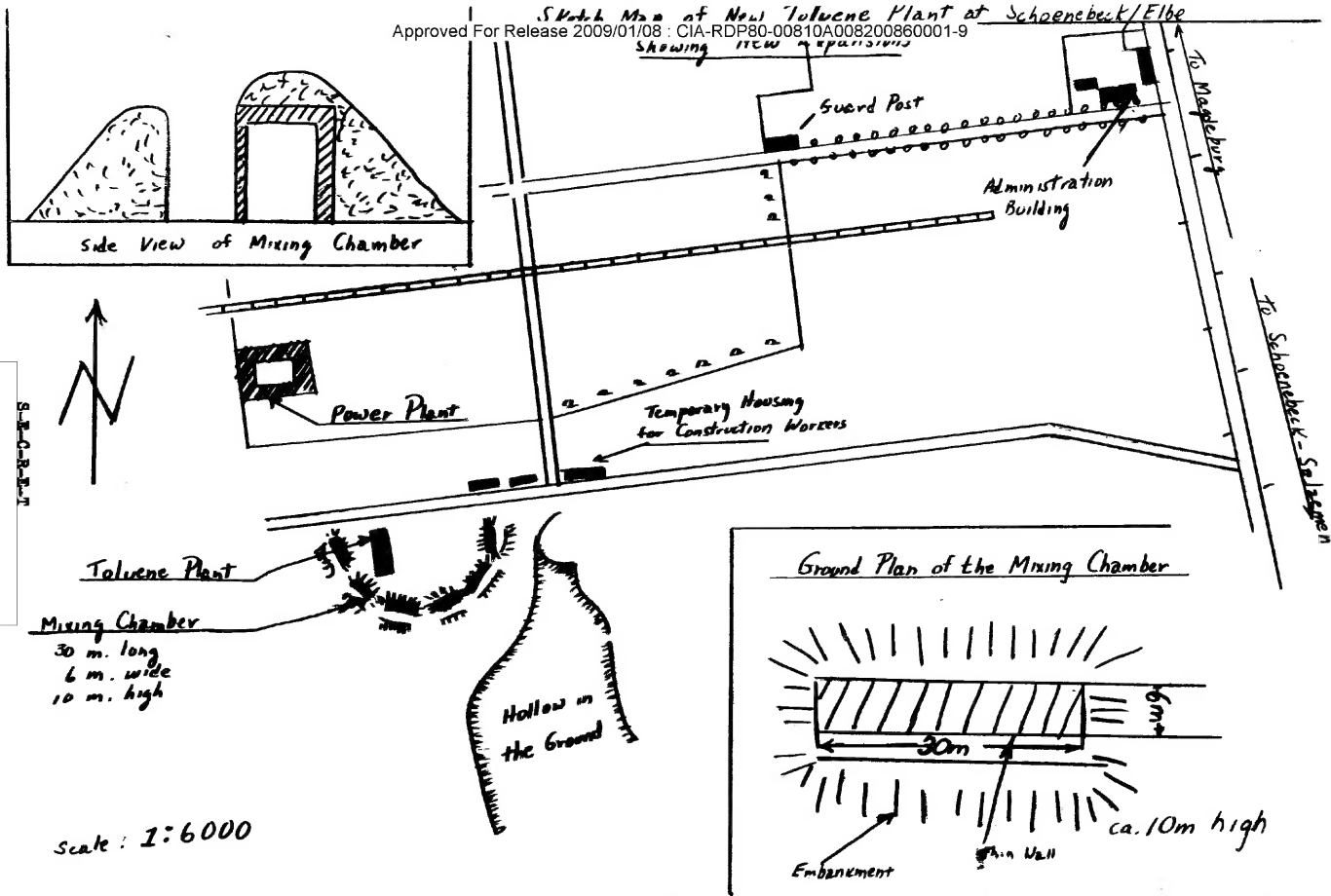
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Sketch Map of New Toluene Plant at Schoenebeck/Elbe

showing new expansions



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